## **MENTORING SESSION #51**

Name of Protégé	
Name of Mentor Date of Session	
"A verbal contract isn't worth the paper it's written on."	Samuel Goldwyn

## **PROFESSIONAL:**

Core area of focus: Resource Management

**Subject:** Use of Contracts and Contractors

Bring to the session: - Contract of Chapel Contractors (e.g. Religious Education coordinators,

choir directors, musicians, Auxiliary Priest, etc.).

- AFI 52-103, Chaplain Service Resourcing (Check AFPUBS for release)

- Local Chaplain Fund Operating Instructions

- 1) Discuss and review key elements of current chapel contracts. (e.g. description of services, invoice procedures, etc.).
- 2) Discuss your own experience with chapel contracts and items you wished you knew about the contracting process.
- 3) Review and discuss the procedures in awarding contracts. Discussion can include but is not limited to:
  - a. Key elements in writing an effective statement of work. Review current contracts and discuss effective and ineffective statements.
  - b. Process of receiving bids for a contract, opening bids and awarding of contracts.
  - c. Process for renewing contracts (e.g. timelines, budget submissions, adjustments, etc)
- 4) Schedule a meeting with the base-contracting office and legal office to give an overview of guidelines and requirements for establishing chapel contracts.

## **PERSONAL**:

Describe some of the contracts you've entered into in your life and the decisions surrounding them.

## **NEXT SESSION DATE and TIME:**